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that appeared in the June 1966 issue of BACTERIOLOGICAL REVIEWS

ACROSS

- 1. Type of bacteria that lives on inorganic matter
- 7. Antimony
- 8. Enzyme
- 10. Discoverer of specific bacillus of soft chancre (1889)
- 13. Gram-negative stain
- 14. Discoverer of bacterial agglutination (1896) (init.)
- 15. Every night
- 16. Flesh or muscular tissue
- 19. Lanthanum
- 20. Pertaining to the ear
- 22. Toxoid-antitoxin mixture (ab.)
- 24. Common animal for in vivo testing
- 25. Little stream (L.)
- 26.____gony: sexual life cycle to plasmodium

- 27. Spherical bacteria
- 30. Hydrogen ion concentration
- 31. Mercury
- 32. Eminent Japanese bacteriologist (1876-1928) (init.)
- 33. Type of fats
- 35. Egg (comb. form)
- 36. Firm colloid
- 37. Effective dose (ab.)
- 38. Type of bacterial movement
- 42. Type of fermentation tube
- 43. Toward the head

DOWN

- 1. Bacteria with several spirillae
- 2. Thrice daily
- 3. Cold-loving bacteria
- 4. Hemoglobin (ab.)
- 5. Type of bacterial pigment

- 6. Changes H₂O₂ to H₂O and O₂
- 9. Selenium
- 11. Gram-negative bactericide
- 12. Ribonucleic acid
- 17. Bacillary shape
- 18. Mnemonic for coliform bacteria classification test
- 21. Indium
- 23. Axioincisal (ab.)
- 26. Relating to the spleen (comb. form)
- 28. Gangosa
- 29. Tabular information sheet
- 34. Clear animal liquids
- 36. Founder of Journal of Pathology and Bacteriology (init.)
- 38. Bismuth
- 39. Hydroxyl radical
- 40. Antitoxic unit
- 41. Neptunium

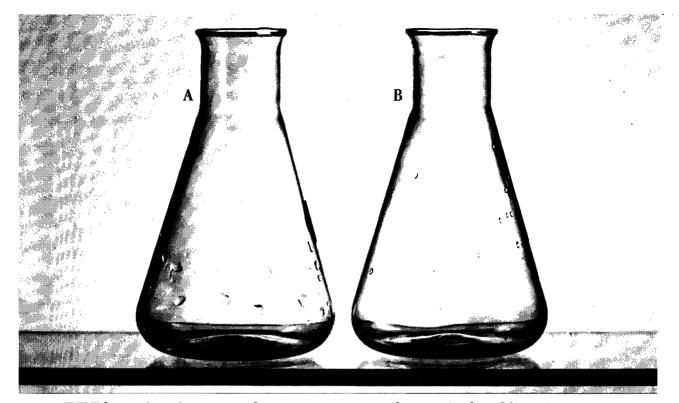
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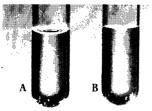


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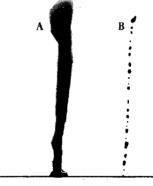
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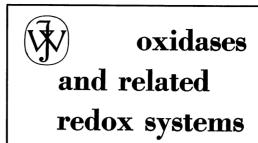


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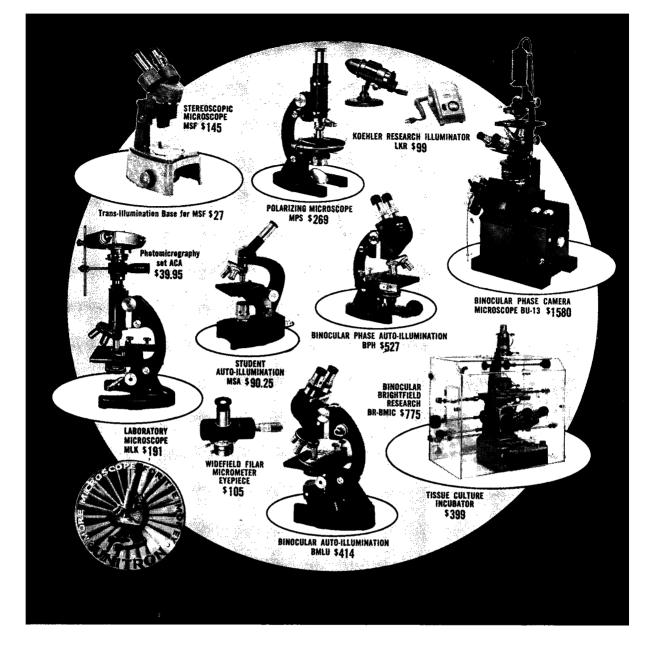
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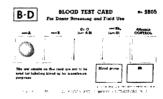
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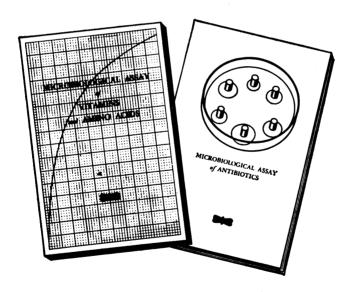
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